

AWSN is pleased to announce its 2017 Minerva Mentoring Award is now open for nominations.

## Minerva Mentoring Award

**Deadline for complete application submission is June 30, 2017**

AWSN offers an annual award to recognize significant contributions made towards the mentoring of women of all ages. This award is made to one outstanding mentor (male or female).

To demonstrate that the criteria for this award are met, please describe how your nominee:

- Has made an impact, or has been an inspiration in your life, or the lives of others, in the area of science, technology, engineering or mathematics.
- Has made this contribution in Alberta, while residing in Alberta. (Does not have to be currently living in Alberta.)



You may also include details about how your nominee:

- May have made a significant contribution to science, technology, engineering or mathematics.
- May work for and/or promote the importance of science, technology, engineering or mathematics to the minds of the future: junior scientists, students and young children; for example, a volunteer who faithfully goes out into the schools to deliver science presentations to inspire upcoming generations.
- May be a respected professional in their field, someone who has been sought by many individuals, the media or institutions to speak about issues related to promotion of science and/or the impact of decisions made by provincial government.
- May be an advocate in advancing issues pertaining to recruitment and retention of women in science, technology, engineering or mathematics.
- May have been the recipient of other awards.
- May have served as a mentor or organizer for a number of years in an Alberta association of women in science, technology, engineering or mathematics.

*How to submit a nomination:*

1. For submitting an online nomination, go to [www.awsn.org/minerva-mentoring-award-nomination](http://www.awsn.org/minerva-mentoring-award-nomination) and follow the instructions to upload a file.
2. If you are not able to submit online, please send an email to [awards@awsn.org](mailto:awards@awsn.org) indicating that your hard copy nomination is enroute to our mailing address:

AWSN  
Attention: Minerva Mentoring Award Committee  
3553 - 31 Street NW, Box 53  
Calgary, Alberta T2L 2K7

A mentor can be either male or female. All submissions become the property of AWSN. The winner and nominees may be considered for our Mentors Recognition biographies. To learn about our past recipients, please visit: [www.awsn.org/tags/minerva-mentoring-award](http://www.awsn.org/tags/minerva-mentoring-award)